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In re application of:

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MICRO-MIRROR

Art Unit: 2652

Examiner: Augustin, Peter Vincent

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Dear Sir:

Introductory Comments:

This is in response to the Office Communication dated December 31, 2003 in connection with the above-identified application. The time for this response has been extended one month, by the accompanying petition and fee.

Claims 1-20 are pending in the current application. Claims 1-20 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. §§ 102 and 103. Objections to the drawings and specification were made for informalities, incorrect format, and/or description.

This application is amended by the virtue of this response, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.121. Please substitute the enclosed substitute drawings of Figures 5A and 5B, which do not contain any new matter. The drawing per Examiners request are amended to change reference numeral "22" pointing towards the unshaded region to "2". Marked up versions of the substitute drawings are no longer required pursuant the newly revised 37 C.F.R. § 1.121.

Also, please substitute the enclosed substitute specification and abstract, which do not contain any new matter, for the original specification and abstract filed with the application. A marked up version of the substitute specification is provided for the Examiner's reference.

Please cancel claims 1-6, 11 and 17 and amend claims 7 and 13 as provided below. Claims 7-10, 12-16, and 18-20 will be pending in the application by the virtue of the currently introduced amendments. The consideration of the substitute drawings, specification and abstract, the amended claims, and the remarks provided below are respectfully requested.